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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Grey et al.

Examiner: Ronald B. Schwadron

Art Unit: 1644

Application No.: 09/017,735

Filed: February 3, 1998

PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

For: HLA-A2.1 BINDING PEPTIDES
AND THEIR USES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2000, for three months, from April 27, 2000, to July 27, 2000. An appropriate response in the form of a Response to Restriction Requirement is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the fee of \$870.00 to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above deposit account. This petition is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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